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WASHINGTON, DC - Today, U.S. Rep. Michael Arcuri (NY-24) joined Assured Information Security Inc. (AIS Inc.) in announcing that AIS has been awarded \$262,000 from the National Institute of Justice to develop a computer system known as the Enhanced Metadata Analysis Tool. This tool will enhance computer forensics examination and investigation by providing state-of-the-art automated analysis of data. The Enhanced Metadata Analysis Software will add an important and dynamic capability for law enforcement agencies, at the local, state and federal level in investigating cyber crime.

"The vision, innovative ideas and products at AIS are providing our country with superior computer security," **Arcuri said**, "I look forward to the partnership they are developing with local law enforcement as a means to gain operational and legal expertise. Their joint efforts will be utilized to safeguard all of our citizens against the ever growing threat of cyber crimes."

"We are excited and proud that the National Institute of Justice selected our program for funding and development," **Dan Kalil, AIS Inc. Project Manager said**, "The capability developed will not only provide law enforcement agencies with superior forensic capability, but it will also add to the ever growing AIS Inc. Law Enforcement technologies being pursued and delivered to our many clients."

Assured Information Security Inc. is working closely with law enforcement agencies, including the New Hartford Police Department, on this software to ensure that it can be used most effectively to meet the needs of these agencies. Additional information regarding this funding can be directed to AIS Vice President Glenn T. Welsh at 315-336-3306 x505.

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